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The Radio Technology, article from the magazine for audiophile, Dec. 1, 1994.

Supplementary European Search Report in the European Patent Application No. 93900401.6 corresponding to the present application, including copies of the first pages of the references cited in the report.

Reference 1 Remarks about GA-A-659818.

Reference 2 (Referential material regarding technical matters such as "voice coil impedance").

Official Communication dated Oct. 5, 1999 from the EPO.

STG - (B1) U.S. Patent (no pre-grant pub.) after Jan. 2, 2001
AB - A speaker system suppresses standing waves generated in the system and reproduces clear and dynamic bass sound. The system includes a cabinet formed of acoustic isolation walls, and at least one partition wall situated inside the cabinet to form a space by surrounding the space. The partition wall suppresses the standing waves generated inside the cabinet and is formed of a material having high internal loss. The space has a total capacity more than one tenth of a capacity of the cabinet, wherein a closed end of the partition wall is located between one-half and four-fifths of a distance from one end to the other end, and an opening area of the same partition wall is located at a side opposite to the closed end in a longitudinal direction of the cabinet. The opening area is located between four-fifths and five fifths of a distance from one end to the other end.
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thereof

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CORE TERMS: cabinet, cardboard, partition, box, corrugated, tube, wave,
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Author (Inventor): TOZAWA KATSUTOSHI (JP)
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Author (Inventor): TOZAWA KATSUTOSHI (JP)
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Author (Inventor): TOZAWA KATSUTOSHI (JP)

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Author (Inventor): TOZAWA KATSUTOSHI (JP)

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